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PATENT Case No. 6064.US.P1 (1700/29)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

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Applicant: P. A. Billing-Medel, et al.	Certificate of Mailing under 37 CFR §1.8(a): I hereby certify that this paper (along with any
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Dear Sir:	
This is a petition for an extension of JANUARY 4, 2001 for a period of 3 month	f the time to respond to Office Action dated h(s).
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One Month Two Months Three Months Four Months Five Months	\$110 \$390 \$890 \$1,390 \$1,890	\$55 \$195 \$445 \$695 \$945

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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: <u>JULY 5, 2001</u>

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